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## 'JOCK'S WAGGIN' TONGUE

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Jock McIntyre, Editor

Before we get into print again the National and Pool annexes should be well on their way to being filled, and some of us should even have a touch of spring fever by then.

Jim Miller was a week end visitor at home, and say Jim makes some "air forcer" too.

Good buys in a used 10 ft. D. Disc Press Drill, 10 ft. Double Disc, 9 ft. Harrow Plow with seeder attachment.

We are sure that Champion district joins us in extending heartfelt sympathies to friends and relatives of the late Dr. Heal.

We carry a complete line of small tools for you and we believe the guaranteed tool is the best value at all times. Ours are all guaranteed, they make good or we do.

Of course, one sure way to cut down your income tax is to earn less.

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Just when we start believing in humanity again, we hear the dopes on one of those radio quiz programs.

Spring is here and we are at your service and still trying to be worthy of our slogan "Your Hardware Merchants."

"Last night Jerry pestered me for a kiss."  
"Did you weaken?"  
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## LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. C. G. Taylor, who spent two weeks visiting her daughter in Fort William, returned to Champion Monday.

Mrs. Lyons entertained a few friends on Wednesday, March 12, complementary to Mr. Lyons who was celebrating his birth day.

Word received in town this week by Mrs. W. F. Bozarth indicates that Miss Alice Ulfstein was married recently to E. G. Willis, at Winnipeg. The couple will reside in Winnipeg.

## COMING EVENTS, SALE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CLASS ADS.

Don't forget the tea, Saturday, March 22nd from 3 to 6 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. D. Henderson. Sponsored by the ladies of the Champion Red Cross. The six layettes just completed will be on display. Silver collection. 11-1t

## NOTICE LADIES

MISS ARROWSMITH of the educational department Singer Sewing Machine Co. will be giving a series of free lessons in the use of attachments, cutting, altering and fitting etc., in the Sunday school room of the United church in V. 11-1t

Classes will be held March 27th, 28th, 31st, April 1st and 2nd. Enrollment starts Thursday, March 27th in the above hall.

For further information please write or phone your local Singer Agent, R. D. BRENT, Phone H. R. 35 Box 105, High River 11-1t

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## Meeting of Council Municipal District of Harmony

The regular meeting of the council of the Municipal District of Harmony 128, was held on March 13th, 1941.

H. J. Higgins, the returning officer occupied the chair, and declared councillors Hopkins and Ellis elected to their respective divisions.

Councillors Ellis and Hopkins signed the oath of office, and the returning officer immediately called for nominations for the office of reeve for 1941.

Councillor Ellis nominated E. H. Griffin, seconded by J. D. Hagerman, councillor Hopkins moved, nominations close, and the returning officer declared E. H. Griffin again appointed for 1941 reeve.

Reeve Griffin, in a few well chosen remarks thanked the council for their confidence in him, and asked that all co-operate as in the past, in order that the affairs of the district can be carried out efficiently.

Secretary presented the regular monthly report of receipts and expenditures, and after examination, same was adopted on motion of councillor Hagerman—carried.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and on motion of councillor Matlock, same were adopted—carried.

Glen Elder of the Hail Insurance Board, interviewed the council on request, this was in respect to old delinquent Hail Taxes that show on the Municipal Roll, it being pointed out, that practically all these arrears were on Crown Lands which had long since reverted back to the Crown. This was a long discussion, and the following motion was moved by councillor Ellis that the Municipal District of Harmony 128, do offer the Hail Insurance Board the sum of \$1,000.00 in full settlement of accounts as specified, it being clearly understood that in the event the Hail Board would not accept same, the cheque for \$1,000.00 to be returned to the Municipality immediately—carried.

Council adjourned for lunch at 2.30. Next order of business was to appoint several officers for 1941, councillor Matlock moved that W. J. Ellis be Dept. Reeve for the first 6 months of 1941—carried.

Councillor Matlock appointed P. M. Patterson as assessor for 1941—carried. E. D. Baltrum was appointed as auditor for 1941, same terms as previous years, this was on motion of councillor Hopkins—carried unanimously.

Secretary presented a list of accounts and same were approved as amended for payment, on motion of councillor Hagerman—carried.

Secretary read a communication from the Champion Con. Schools who wished to continue the use of the municipal office, councillor Mix moved that this be granted—carried.

Grant for the Salvation Army was approved on motion of councillor Hagerman, to be same as 1940 in the sum of \$200.00—carried.

The council next discussed gopher poison for 1941, and councillor Matlock moved that this be purchased from the U. G. G. and the local druggist,

## Coalhurst and Champion Tangle in Lively Cage Set-to

The Coalhurst Junior Boys and Champion Junior Boys opened a much looked forward to basketball game at 7.20 in Coalhurst on Tuesday, March 18.

Champion opened the scoring and led by 4 points and the end of the half. During the two stages that continued, Coalhurst seemed to become inspired as they took the offensive and came out on top at the end of the game with a 29-14 lead.

Champion line up—W. Kramer 4, same to be made available to the rate-payers at cost—carried.

Wages for public works was left at 1940 schedule.

Allocations for Public Works took up a lengthy period, all councillors debating on same, and councillor Matlock moved that this be set at \$4,000.00, councillor Hopkins moved an amendment to read \$3,200.00, the amendment carried 4 to 2.

A discussion arose in respect to a proposed settlement with a rate payer of arrears of taxes, secretary was instructed to make a settlement, as provided for under the Tax Consolidation Act, and that the cash must accompany any settlement.

A discussion arose in respect to the sale of S-E-7-10-22-4 and the following motion was moved by councillor Mix that this land be sold for \$600.00, one half cash, balance in two equal payments or \$550.00 cash, this being subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs—carried.

The next order of business was schools and hospital requisitions for 1941. Vulcan hospital requisition for \$1,568.50. Motion by councillor Ellis, mill rate be set at 2 mills—carried.

Carmanagay hospital requisitions were \$785.00, and councillor Hopkins moved a mill rate of 2½ mills—carried. Lethbridge School Division No. 7 requisitions for 1941 were \$12,227.61, this caused considerable comment, and councillor Matlock moved a mill rate of 1½ mills—carried.

Foothills School Division No. 38 requisitions for 1941 were \$2,915.83 and councillor Mix moved a mill rate of 7 mills—carried.

Requisitions for Macleod for 1941 was \$1,080.00, and councillor Hagerman moved a mill rate of 7½ mills—carried.

It was moved by councillor Hagerman that the reeve and secretary be authorized, to borrow from the Canadian Bank of Commerce as follows: For Vulcan hospital \$1,568.50 less 10%, Carmanagay hospital \$785.00, Macleod school district \$1,080.00, Lethbridge school division No. 7 \$12,227.61, Foothills school division No. 38 \$2,915.83. Also that the necessary By-Laws be prepared as required by the Municipal Act—carried.

The council next went into the matter of estimates for 1941 which showed an expenditure of \$38,752.58, this was discussed for a considerable time, and reeve Griffin moved that a rate of 7 mills on the dollar be set for 1941, motion carried, this also approved the adoption of the estimates.

Councillor Mix moved that meeting adjourn at 11.30 o'clock.

## Capt. H. N. Heal Bows to Grim Reaper

Captain Herbert Newton Heal, R. C. A., formerly of Champion and for the past eight months a member of the Canadian Army (Active), died Friday, March 14th in Winnipeg following three weeks' illness.

Mrs. Heal, who had gone to Winnipeg when her husband had been moved there with his unit some time ago, was with him at the time of his death. There are no children.

Captain Heal was second in command of the 22-78th Field Battery, Royal Canadian Artillery. Only 39 years of age at the time of his death, he had formerly commanded the 95th Field Battery, R. C. A., N. P. A. M., at Calgary, holding the rank of major. His death followed an abdominal operation.

When the 22-78th Battery was mobilized on June 3rd, 1940, under Major T. L. Souness, Captain Heal went on active service, proceeding with the battery to Sarcee camp, Camp Shilo and later Winnipeg. The unit has since been moved to another centre in Eastern Canada.

Interment took place in Calgary on Tuesday, March 18th.

B. Gatenby 7, R. Goodman, T. Doyle 3, L. Gardner, G. Hummel.

Coalhurst line up—A. Jovenazzo 10, McDermott 9, Rohovec, Horchard 10, Arthur Jovenazzo, Hasink, McLeod.

The Champion High School "Seasides" broke the jinx as they ended long run of losses as they not only trimmed the Coalhurst High School 20-7.

The Champion girls took the offensive and rapped in a 17 count against 5 for Coalhurst in the first quarter. The Coalhurst team tightened their grip on the game and held the Scotties to three points in the next three quarters. Although Coalhurst began to guard more closely the Champion girls tagged their opponents breaking up practically every play Coalhurst had in mind, almost before they thought of it.

Champion line up—E. Latiff 6, R. Chaproniere 4, L. Cimulini 3, P. Fisher 2, E. Griffin 2, M. Ditto 2, D. Stewart 2, I. Siler, J. Christensen.

Coalhurst line up—L. Canning 2, B. Canning 2, Raskevich 3, McDermott, Caron, McLeod, Rushe.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness to us during our recent bereavement. Words cannot express our heartfelt thanks for the many beautiful tributes and expressions of sympathy recieved in our hours of sorrow.

Mrs. B. Hummel and family.

## CARD OF THANKS

For flowers, and other kindnesses during his recent stay in hospital, W. R. McRae wishes to thank the following: The O. O. R. P., The Amity Club, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, Mrs. M. Ficht, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Carlson, F. Caldwell, F. Gottenberg, J. O. Bell, F. Bouzyan, Mr. and Mrs. Latiff, D. M. Campbell, Jim Ashmore, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sletto and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Siler.

## CHAMPION CHRONICLE

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Thursday, March 20, 1941

### A FARM POLICY

Every reader will be keenly interested in the farm policy announced by the Federal Government last week. This was the policy looked for and now farmers will know just how to proceed.

That this move will satisfy all farmers is of course not true, nor could any legislation be enacted which will prove of equal benefit.

In the east the farmers are deploring the move as it is seen as a menace to their market for hogs while others claim that it will prove to great a boon to the large farmer and of lesser value to the small farmer.

However, there is little doubt that what is needed is a reduction in wheat acreage and to do this without upsetting the income of the farmer, the policy adopted appears to be one best suited to the needs of the time. For those districts where livestock cannot be raised more coarse grains can be raised or the land summerfallowed.

This district has always been a wheat producing belt and large scale summerfallowing appears to be the most likely with a switch to barley in some cases.

In any case all should give the matter careful consideration, having in mind a long range program, planning not only for 1941 but for the years to follow.

The government have had the advice of experts in all sections of Canada and the policy has been adopted in good faith. It has its defects but farmers and others must co-operate by so ordering their own program that the aim of the government will be achieved.

### COURTEOUS MOTORISTS

A motorist who has just returned from England writes to a Canadian newspaper commenting on the courtesy exhibited by all drivers there, in contrast to "I'm in a hurry—look out for yourself" attitude, which unfortunately is so frequently encountered on this side of the Atlantic.

There, he says, the driver in a line of traffic signals whether or not it is wise to pass; indicates his every intention, and generally assists others on the road by making clear, as far as possible, what conditions exist.

Such courtesy as this might easily result in a great diminution in the number of traffic accidents. Occasionally, one encounters a similar spirit in Canada, but all too infrequently.

A friendly and polite attitude on the part of motorists could be one of the most valuable factors in reducing the appalling numbers of automobile accidents in the country each year.

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Day of prayer, at request of His Majesty, will be observed in the Community hall by the Anglican congregation at 7.30 p. m. in place of usual hour, Sunday, 23rd March

ROMAN CATHOLIC—Service at 9 a. m. Rev. Father Ritter in charge.

UNITED CHURCH—Rev. P. Dawson, minister. Service at 3 p. m. each Sunday.

### TIME TABLE

TRAIN AND BUS SERVICE AT CHAMPION

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Northbound, evening.....7.45

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# Canada's Most Important Business---To Win the War

## GARMANGAY

The people of Carmangay and surrounding district were gravely shocked when Frank Lazo, aged 31 years, son of Emerie Lazo passed away in the Carmangay hospital on Saturday, March 8. It is believed Frank's death was caused accidentally on the Peacock farm, south-east of town where he had been employed since last fall. Investigation showed that a hand power emery wheel, which had been connected to an electric motor in the work shop, had flown to pieces. One of the pieces had struck Frank's neck making a large gash causing him to fall backwards, striking his head on his car and fracturing the base of his skull. He was found in the kitchen of his

residence in an unconscious state and was rushed to the local hospital. Although he was given immediate attention he failed to rally. Funeral service was held on Tuesday March 11 at 2 o'clock in the United Church. Rev. R. Harden was in charge of the service. Frank, born Oct. 16, 1909 on his parents farm east of town. He attended school in this district and was well known by everyone. He was predeceased by his mother some 27 years ago. He is survived by his father and step-mother, Mr. and Mrs. Emerie Lazo, 2 brothers, Joe and Louis of Buck Lake, 3 cousins, Paul and Alex Hauser of Carmangay and Mrs. R. Saderquist of Red Deer. Many lovely floral tributes from friends in the district covered the casket and also

banked the altar. Mrs. D. Shearer of Barons sang a solo "There Is No Night There." The choir of girls led the gathering in the singing of two hymns, "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and "Abide With Me." Martin Bros. of Lethbridge were in charge of arrangements. Pall bearers included: Yjelman Nelson, Frank Hauser, Arne Dahl, Edward Stettner, Teddy Haude and Gordon Burns. Interment took place at the Bowville cemetery east of Carmangay.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McGinnis, Miss Eileen Dayman and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Parker were Calgary visitors over the week end.

Mrs. Wm. Russell is spending a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Casement of Calgary.

In spite of the bad weather a fair crowd attended the St. Patrick's Supper, sponsored by the Ladies Aid,

in the Grange Recreation Room on Saturday, March 15th. Proceeds amounted to \$18.00. The Ladies wish to thank the public for their patronage.

Mrs. W. Jacobson and daughter, Anne Kay, of Barons, spent a few days visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dayman.

Miss Marjorie Leonard, Hanna, was a guest at the home of her father M. R. Leonard for the week end.

The Carmangay Ladies' Social Credit held their monthly meeting on Thursday, March 13, at the home of Mrs. H. G. Nault. Mrs. Burns presided. Mrs. G. Hardy and Mrs. L. McGinnis each received a birthday gift. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess. The next meeting is to be at the home of Mrs. Blue on Thursday, April 19.

A number of rinks from Claresholm enjoyed curling here on Thursday afternoon and evening. Supper was served them in the Grange hotel.

Jim Minty was a business visitor in Lethbridge on Tuesday.

Mrs. Folk is a patient in the hospital suffering from an attack of flu.

Word has been received from Boise, Idaho, of the death of Wyman Minard Parker, aged 89, who passed away at the home of his eldest daughter, Mrs. Alice Hyatt of that city. The late Mr. Parker was a pioneer rancher of the Little Bow. He came to this country from St. Anthony, Idaho in 1903, bringing with him several hundred head of horses. Settling first near Stavely, he moved a year later to a ranch on the Little Bow river where he lived until a few years ago. A younger daughter, Mrs. Bertha Bartlett of Los Angeles, California, was also with him at the time of his death and his only son, H. S. Parker of Carmangay visited him two weeks ago. Surviving also are six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Interment took place at St. Anthony, Idaho.

The Prairieville Branch of the Red Cross sponsored a concert in the Prairieville school on Monday, March 17, consisting of a short program and quiz, truth or consequences. Music for an hour dancing was supplied by Miss Wilma Ohler and Ray Flitton, after which an appetizing lunch was served. Proceeds amounted to \$12.00.

## BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## LOCAL NEWS

Canon Winter has received a letter from Tom Burland reporting himself, Mrs. Burland and Muriel as being well and longing for Canada again.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Inman were Calgary visitors over the week end.

Voice Wellman visited Calgary Saturday and Sunday.

The Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star in Alberta, Mrs. Helen P. McGhee, of Brooks, paid an official visit to the Champion Chapter O.E.S. on Tuesday, March 18. After working with the Chapter during the afternoon, a banquet was held at Savoy Hotel, at six o'clock in honor of Mrs. McGhee. Accompanying Mrs. McGhee from Calgary was Mrs. L. Richards, Grand Electa. Following the banquet the Chapter met in the Community Hall at 8 p. m. After the business had been concluded and inspected lunch was served in the basement of the Hall. About fifty attended the

meeting and banquet from Nobleford, Barons, Carmangay, Vulcan, Calgary, and Edmonton. Among the guests from the Grand Chapter of Alberta were Mrs. H. P. McGhee, Brooks, Grand Matron; O. P. Thomas, Champion, Grand Organist, Mrs. L. Richards, Calgary, Grand Electa; Mrs. McMann, Vulcan, Grand Warder. Mrs. McGhee gave a very informative lecture. This was followed by a congenial hour at lunch with short addresses by visiting members. Mrs. McGhee later left for Vulcan, accompanied by Mrs. Richards and Mrs. McMann.

Hugh Miller, who is attached to the R. C. A. F. at Moose Jaw visited his parents last week.

Pete Wallersshine is a patient in the Carmangay hospital.

Many of the local hockey fans and theatre goers attended the game and "Gone With the Wind," in Lethbridge this week. They reported a fair game and a grand show.

Friends of Mrs. Freeze will be sorry to hear that she is confined to her home with measles.

I. Granlin who has been ill with the flu lately has now completely recovered and is back on the job.

Leroy Fisher won't be around for awhile as he has contracted the measles.

A. Baker attended meeting of Imperial Oil agents held in the Palliser hotel, Calgary on Mon. March 17th. The meeting was well attended and many matters pertinent to agents affairs were

discussed. Following the meeting a sumptuous banquet was served to those in attendance.

W. Macleod of Carmangay is operating and managing the late Barney Hummel's black smith shop.

The Grade nine "Oral French Class" presented a series of plays and songs to the High School Wednesday last. They were directed by members of Dramatics class and proved to be very entertaining but slightly incomprehensive due to the participants conversing in their study language. The program was as follows: Scelerat, song, Marquis de Caraban, action song, Relativite, play, Mardis Gras, action song, and Le Chain du Ventriloque, a play. The cast then sang God Save the King in French concluding the program.

Howard Orcutt, who recently underwent an operation for mastoids in St. Michael's hospital, Lethbridge, is doing fine and is expected home Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Rhodes and H. Newsome are both making rapid progress towards complete recovery.

Due to many vacancies on account of the local boys joining up, the Militia at Vulcan is recruiting for more men. Here is your chance.

Champion has not been in the lime light for some time. It is now, although you may not know it. We have, on completion of 2 now being built 19 annexes in all. The most in any town in southern Alberta according to report, and a capacity to handle 1 million 7,000 bu. The elevators are nearly crowded out and we puff out our chests with pride to see our town on the map.

Roy Hummon, while working on his annex last week, had the misfortune to drive a nail through his index finger in flitting a small but painful wound.

Mrs. O. Sletto is a patient in St. Michael's hospital having undergone a major operation there yesterday. She is reported to be doing very well. Her son, Clayton returned from Vancouver last Saturday to be with her.

Maybe you would be interested to know that the first spring rain fell last Tuesday. It was short but sweet.

The Catholic Ladies Altar Society reported a very enjoyable card party last Monday evening. It was well attended and highly entertaining. The prize winners are as follows: Mens first in bridge, Mr. Bada; ladies first, Miss E. Schultz; men consolation, P. Gatenby; ladies, Mrs. W. A. McIntyre. Mens first in whist, L. Fath; ladies, Mrs. L. Fath, consolation for men, Ivar Ivarson; ladies, Ray Ohlheiser.

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